

BUSINESS REPORT

**MONTANA SENATE
61st LEGISLATURE - REGULAR SESSION**

SENATE FINANCE AND CLAIMS COMMITTEE

Date: Wednesday, March 18, 2009

Time: 8:00 am

Place: Capitol

Room: 317

BILLS and RESOLUTIONS HEARD:

Prefix (HB, HR, HJR, SB, SR, or SJR) and number. Add Postponed (PP) when appropriate:

HB 71, HB 97, HB 104, SB 505

EXECUTIVE ACTION TAKEN:

Prefix (HB, HR, HJR, SB, SR, or SJR) and number. Enter P(pass) F(failed) DPAA (do pass as amended) BC(be concurred in) BCAA (be concurred in as amended):

SB 303 DPAA _____

COMMENTS:

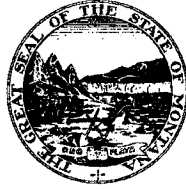


SEN. Keith Bales, Chairman

MONTANA STATE SENATE
Roll Call
FINANCE AND CLAIMS COMMITTEE

DATE: 3-18-09

<u>NAME</u>	<u>PRESENT</u>	<u>ABSENT/ EXCUSED</u>
SENATOR KEITH BALES, CHAIRMAN	✓	
SENATOR DAVE LEWIS, VICE CHAIRMAN	✓	
SENATOR GREGORY BARKUS		✓
SENATOR DEBBY BARRETT		✓
SENATOR JOHN BRENDEN	✓	
SENATOR JOHN BRUEGGEMAN		✓
SENATOR MIKE COONEY		✓
SENATOR JOHN ESP	✓	
SENATOR STEVE GALLUS		✓
SENATOR KEN HANSEN	✓	
SENATOR BOB HAWKS	✓	✓
SENATOR RICK LAIBLE	✓	
SENATOR JIM PETERSON		✓
SENATOR RICK RIPLEY	✓	
SENATOR TRUDI SCHMIDT		✓
SENATOR MITCH TROPILA		✓
SENATOR DAVID WANZENRIED	✓	
SENATOR CAROL WILLIAMS		✓
SENATOR RYAN ZINKE	✓	



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Mr. President:

We, your committee on **Finance and Claims** recommend that **Senate Bill 303** (second reading copy -- yellow) **do pass as amended**.

Signed:


Senator Keith Bales, Chair

And, that such amendments read:

1. Title, page 1, line 5.

Strike: "FLATHEAD,"

2. Page 1, line 28.

Following: "Yellowstone,"

Insert: "and"

Strike: ", and"

3. Page 1, line 29.

Strike: "Flathead"

4. Page 2, line 4.

Following: "effects of"

Strike: "climate change,"

Following: "drought"

Strike: ","

5. Page 2, line 7.

Strike: ", instream flow requirements,"

6. Page 2, line 11.

Following: "council"

Insert: "in both the Yellowstone and Missouri River basins that is inclusive and representative of all water interests and interests in those basins. For the Clark Fork basin, the department shall continue to utilize the Clark Fork River

Committee Vote:

Yes 13, No 1

Fiscal Note Required ☐

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OR

basin task force established pursuant to 85-2-350."

7. Page 2, line 12.

Strike: "in each basin."

8. Page 2, line 13.

Strike: "EACH COUNCIL CONSISTS"

Insert: "The councils in the Missouri and Yellowstone River
basins consist"

9. Page 2, line 14.

Strike: "BASIN"

Insert: "basins"

10. Page 2, line 15 through line 16.

Strike: subsection (C) in its entirety

11. Page 2, line 17.

Strike: "(D)"

Insert: "(c)"

12. Page 2, line 18.

Strike: "(E)"

Insert: "(d)"

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